

KIRKLAND POLICE DEPARTMENT

123 5th Avenue Kirkland, WA 98033

CASE# 2018-00038370

CASE REPORT

NARRATIVE

Ofc. C. Bussey #395

Case No. 18-38370

Assault 4TH Degree

On 10/11/2018 at approximately 2229 hours I was dispatched to Fairfax Hospital 10200 NE 132ND ST, Kirkland WA 98034 on a report of physical assault. This address is located within the city limits of Kirkland, County of King and the State of Washington.

Upon arriving at the Hospital I contacted the Reporting Party (RP), [Non-Disclosure] (DOB [Non-Disclosure]), who reported that she witnessed the assault. She explained that one patient, [Non-Disclosure], assaulted another patient, [Non-Disclosure] (DOB [Non-Disclosure]), in her presence and [Non-Disclosure] had requested that the police be called because she wanted to press charges.

[Non-Disclosure] provided a written statement explaining that while she was doing her rounds she heard [Non-Disclosure] in the hallway saying "I'm going to handle this myself". [Non-Disclosure] stated that she saw other staff members chasing after [Non-Disclosure] so she followed her into her room where she saw [Non-Disclosure] holding a Bible above [Non-Disclosure] head and strike [Non-Disclosure] twice on the top/side of her head with it.

[Non-Disclosure] further explained that due to their policy one of the nurses on staff at the time shot [Non-Disclosure] with their calming cocktail. 50 mg of Thorazine, 50 mg of Benadryl and 2 mg of Ativan.

Next I contacted [Non-Disclosure] (DOB [Non-Disclosure]) and confirmed her identity by conducting a DOL and WACIC/NCIC records check which included a DOL photograph and matched it to the victim's visage. [Non-Disclosure] explained that she had asked a hospital staff worker if she could have a candy bar and that the employee gave her a granola bar instead. She stated that [Non-Disclosure] went and told on her for eating and was upset because the hospital staff did not punish her for eating because she had had permission to eat. [Non-Disclosure] explained that she had gotten permission to eat the granola bar but that [Non-Disclosure] got upset because she did not know that she had been given permission to eat. [Non-Disclosure] stated that she could hear [Non-Disclosure] yelling down the hallway as she was coming down to her room, "I'm going to strangle her, I'm going to kill her". [Non-Disclosure] stated that she was giggling when [Non-Disclosure] came into the room because she didn't think that she would be able to strangle her. [Non-Disclosure] stated that she then felt two sudden blows to the top of her head and that when the staff members finally pulled [Non-Disclosure] off of her she saw that she had hit her with a Bible.

Hospital staff had heavily sedated [Non-Disclosure], so no interview was conducted with her at the time

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and she was not taken into custody due to the heavy medication. King County Jail (KCJ) was contacted and given [REDACTED] medical conditions to include her current medicated status, her initial medical diagnosis (psychosis with manic depression) and the fact that she had been involuntarily committed to Fairfax Hospital. KCJ declined stating that they did not have the proper medications or medical staff members on duty to handle [REDACTED] specific needs.

I attempted to contact the suspect, [REDACTED] but due to her heavy sedation hospital staff members requested that she not be contacted until later. I confirmed her identity by conducting a DOL and WACIC/NCIC records check which included a DOL photograph of her.

When I requested to see the video footage of the event I was informed that the cameras were not accessible until the next day when security arrived but that it was located in a position to have had an unobstructed view of the assault.

On 10/12/2018 at approximately 2210 hours Officers collected the security video from Fairfax Hospital and spoke to [REDACTED] to see if she was willing give a statement at that time. [REDACTED] was not cooperative and refused to provide any statements written or verbally.

I reviewed the video and confirmed that it was consistent with both the victim and witnesses recollection of what had occurred. Due to the format of the disk it would not allow direct upload into the Case file so I made a copy of the video footage and uploaded the copied video and submitted the original disk into evidence under Evidence Tag No. 1838370EV395-001 and dropped it into the Officer's Evidence Locker Drop Slot, Locker No. 023.

[REDACTED] was charged through investigation for the crime of RCW 9A.36.041; Assault 4TH Degree on Kirkland Criminal Citation Number C44526K.

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